Docket No. 12204/04701

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

U.S. Application of:

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For:

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

GROUP TOO TOO This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated 2001, which provides for a response period ending November 9, 2001.

Amendments to the claims are presented herein by presenting a complete set of pending claims, as amended, in clean form. Also, an Appendix entitled "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made," showing the current amendments to the claims is attached hereto.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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